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The reply filed on November 24, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The response does not address the election requirement between species of the motor arrangment as set forth on page 2 of the prior office action. Also, in the reply, applicant indicates that claims 2 and 4-13 have been canceled. However, claim 2 has not been canceled. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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